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MORINVILLE NEWS

MORINVILLE. — On Monday, April 25, Pat Parker became the bride of Joe Krauskopf in an early morning ceremony here. A wedding dance was held in their honor that evening.

Another wedding took place on Tuesday morning in which Lorette Brochu of Morinville and Paul Poulin of St. Albert were married. The reception and wedding dance were held in St. Albert.

A C.Y.O. social, attended by a good many young people was held in the hall Sunday evening.

Miss Rose Weigand is employed at the Royal Bank.

On Miss Lorette Brochu's resignation from the Royal Bank, she was presented with an electric sandwich toaster.

The Morinville girls' softball team defeated the St. Albert team 16-11 in a hard-fought battle here Sunday evening. There will be softball practice every Tuesday and Thursday evenings at seven. All interested are welcome.

The Morinville Co-op Association has purchased the pool room formerly owned by Mr. E. Mercier. This new Co-op store will be opened about the first of June.

The engagement of Miss Pauline Tellier to Mr. Maurice Kremer has been announced by Miss Tellier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tellier of Morinville.

Gaby's Rhythm Rangers supplied music for a wedding dance held here in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Bokenfor who were married on Tuesday, April 26. The young couple will make their home in Namau.

Miss Margaret Shiehan has returned to work at the bank after a three-week holiday at Penticton, B.C.

Messages of sympathy were extended to Mrs. A. Reid whose mother, Mrs. M. Orr of Edmonton, passed away quite recently.

A shower honoring Pat Parker was held in the annex of the dance hall last Friday evening.

The office of the town of Morinville has been moved into the new — not the old — municipal office as previously stated.

Wedding

PERROTT-TROTTER

MORINVILLE. — A pretty wedding was solemnized in the St. John the Baptist Church in Morinville recently when Lucille, daughter of Mr. Albert Trotter, of Morinville, became the bride of Mr. Lloyd Perrott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick C. Perrott of Riviere Qui Barre.

Rev. Father McIntyre performed the ceremony in which the bride was given in marriage by her father.

She wore a traditional gown of white satin, styled with a peplum and full skirt, a sheer yoke decorated with pearls, encrusted rosebuds and lily-point sleeves. Her long veil was gathered to a beaded tiara and she carried a bouquet of red roses.

Bridesmaid was Miss Madeleine Trotter who wore a long pink moire gown and matching head-dress. She carried a colonial bouquet.

Mr. Andy Lafabre attended the groom as best man.

Following the ceremony a banquet was held in the Club Anton, in Edmonton, after which the wed-

P.M.'s PARTY GREETS ALBERTANS AT BANFF



On their recent Western trip, wherever Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent, Mrs. Laurent and their daughter went, they made new friends. At Banff, en route from the coast to Calgary, the Premier's party met townspeople and those at the resort for the Easter week-end holiday. In the above picture, taken on the C.P.R. platform at Banff are, left to right, Rev. Canon H. T. Montgomery, M.A.; The Prime Minister; Mrs. K. W. Pue and Betty Mae Pue of Edmonton; Mrs. St. Laurent, and her daughter; Mrs. Thomas Pue, of Brandon, Man.; and Diana Pue with her father, T. W. Pue, Publisher, of Edmonton.

ST. ALBERT BRIEFS

ST. ALBERT. — Mr. J. J. Bourgeois and Henry went on a business trip to Falher last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon MacMillan and family have moved into their new home in Edmonton, last week.

A few ladies surprised Mrs. R. Toupin on the occasion of her birthday last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Perron are the proud parents of a daughter. Congratulations!

Miss Yvonne Benion spent a few days of her Easter holidays visiting relatives in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kittitz, who spent the winter in St. Albert, have moved to their farm in Vimy on Monday.

Mrs. A. Labelle visited her daughter Jeanne in Edmonton for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bernard have returned from a business trip to Calgary.

Mrs. A. Micholot spent the weekend in Edmonton visiting her daughters.

Mrs. Oscar Bellisle had the misfortune to fall downstairs at her home and broke two vertebrae. She is now back home from the hospital but will not be able to work for another six or seven weeks. We hope that she will soon be well again.

We noticed that Mr. Lyle Strand is back in uniform again. He recently joined the R.C.A.F. in Edmonton. His work enables him to come home every evening.

The winners of the program of "Search for Talent" in St. Albert, held on April 16, were: 1. Mrs. Phyllis Atkins; 2. the Namoo Trio; 3. Honore Hebert of Villeneuve. Mrs. Kittitz competed with 24 other first prize winners at the

ding party motored to the bride's home in Morinville where a buffet lunch was served and many other guests were received.

Later in the evening, after a dance in the community hall attended by 400 people, the young people left for a trip to Jasper. On their return they will reside at Riviere Qui Barre.

R.C.A.F. drill hall in Edmonton, last Saturday.

Mr. Paul Emil Poulin of St. Albert was married Tuesday to Miss Lorette Brochu of Morinville. The ceremony was performed in Morinville. After a wedding dinner in Edmonton a reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Poulin.

In the evening a dance was held in the community league hall where many well-wishers came to congratulate the newly-weds. We wish them both a long and happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Atkinson are sailing on May 21st for England. They will be away for three months and will also visit Scotland and Ireland. Mr. Atkinson came to Canada as a young man and settled in Seba Beach, then in 1917 came out to St. Albert and has never returned to the old country since. Bon voyage!

Magistrate's Court

ST. ALBERT. — Joseph Pepin, assaulting peace officer, convicted before Magistrate J. W. McCulla on April 12. Fined \$25.00 and costs or 30 days.

Arthur Ledger, illegal possession of liquor. Fined \$25.00 and costs.

Leon Racine, illegal possession of liquor. Fined \$20.00 and costs.

Cliff Barker, illegal possession of liquor. Fined \$20.00 and costs.

Stanley Sheets, illegal possession of liquor. Fined \$20.00 and costs.

John Maday, illegal possession of liquor. Fined \$20.00 and costs. Thirteen convictions were registered against 13 offenders for violating the St. Albert town parking bylaws.

Phillip Breland and Joseph Pepin were arrested at St. Albert, Alta., on charges of theft of motor vehicle on April 22, and handed over to Edmonton city police for trial.

Micher Telenko was arrested at St. Albert, Alta. on a charge of theft of a trailer on April 18 and handed over to the Edmonton city police for trial.

Perfect Television Of Boat Race

The BBC gained a triumph in the recent Oxford and Cambridge University Boat Race in Britain, equal to that of Cambridge, the winners. From the start to finish of the race neither crew was out of the picture for a moment. The relay employed nine cameras and 100 commentators and technicians. Eight of the cameras were along the banks of the Thames, and the ninth, its telephoto lenses switching from close-ups to long-shots, followed the boats in a launch.

To get perfect pictures from a launch bobbing on the choppy water, and with constantly changing light problems as it swung around the bends, was a considerable technical achievement. The broadcast images were filmed from the television screen and re-broadcast in the evening as a newsreel.

Experimenters in this comparatively new development in television started in England some 18 months ago. Films taken of the television of the Royal Wedding were much less perfect they they are today.

Concert Hall To Famous London Be Replaced

London is to have a fine concert hall, replacing the famous Queen's Hall, at which almost every artist of world renown has appeared. This was destroyed by a bomb in 1940 during the intensive air raids on Britain's capital.

According to an announcement in parliament by the Lord President of the Council, Mr. Herbert Morrison, it is planned that work on the new hall shall be completed in time for the Festival of Britain in 1951. "The government is giving facilities for the reconstruction of Queen's Hall and it is hoped promoters will be able to complete the work in time for the Festival opening."

The new hall will hold an audience of 4,000 compared with the Queen's Hall's previous capacity of 2,400.

LEGAL NEWS

LEGAL. — Last Tuesday, April 19, Miss Theresa Coulombe married Mr. Gerard Leblanc. The bride was dressed in a white satin gown, and had a short veil. A strand of pearls and matching earrings were her only jewelry.

The dinner was served in the church hall where numerous relatives and friends gathered.

A wedding dance was held at St. Albert the same evening. Mr. and Mrs. Leblanc will make their home in Edmonton.

Rev. Father Prineau has been in Legal for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Luckica lost their five months old baby boy last Friday. The boy was found smothered in his pillow.

Rev. Father Berube has left for a month's holiday. He is expected to be back early in June.

An initiation for the Knights of Columbus was held on Sunday. About 58 people were made members of the organization. Many outsiders have come in for the occasion.

British-Dutch Trade

The new trade agreement between the United Kingdom and the Netherlands for 1949 provides for Dutch exports of dairy products, eggs and bacon to the value of \$177 million. This is a 57 per cent increase over the 1948 export volume of the same commodities. It is not expected that under this agreement the volume of agricultural commodities supplied to Britain will reach pre-war quantities.

Increase in Britain's Industrial Production

Britain's industrial production showed a further rise last January. The official index published recently gives a figure of 124 (1946 equals 100) compared with 123 in December and 119 in January, 1948. This increase applies to all industries.

ABEE LOCAL NEWS

ABEE. — Mrs. Kathleen Grinnell and her husband were honor guests at a farewell party recently before going to Nanaimo, B.C., to reside. At a gathering of over 100 friends and neighbors in the Abee community hall, she was presented with a travelling bag and purse of money.

Speeches were made by Felix Friebe, president of the Abee Community Association; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boulton, representing the Junior Club work with which the Grinnell girls had been so closely associated. Mrs. Nuttycombe, representing the Abee Women's Institute, of which Mrs. Grinnell is a charter member, recalled that Mrs. Grinnell (the former Kathleen Benson), moved to Abee from Killam across country by wagon in 1922.

After her marriage in 1928 to her late husband, A. E. Grinnell, both were extremely active in community and church work. All regret her decision to leave the district but extend to her the best

Sally Rawlinson, talented and beautiful daughter of the silent screen star, Herbert Rawlinson, plays a top role in "Bride of Vengeance," Paramount's romantic drama of the Italian Renaissance.

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The Story Is Told

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Those Shelved Works Projects

Members in all sections of the House, including the Government, were surprised to learn that the Minister of Reconstruction's Special Committee has jobs for only a few thousand lined up in case of mass unemployment. For some time plans have been laid for Dominion Public Works projects ready to start on whenever the need arises to provide employment.

It now seems that such shelved works projects are paltry both in their costs and in the number of jobs they would provide. Running the risk appearing like supporters of over-all Government planning of national economy we suggest that without delay large-scale projects (a few) and small scale projects (thousands of them) should be considered for com-

pletion whenever the need for providing jobs becomes evident.

We think small-scale works such as modern, up-to-date post office and other Government buildings in towns and villages, should come high on the list. A plan could be worked out for the Dominion to subsidize street paving in small communities; assistance given the provinces in extending public roads, power lines and even gas lines. This wouldn't mean Governmental ownership of such utilities but simply help local authorities provide them.

Big-scale projects such as a Dominion-wide highway could be enlarged in scope to include a second trans-Canada Highway in the west. Irrigation, re-forestation and building of new highways northward will serve to protect our natural resources and open up new areas to farming and industry.

It would be foolish to embark on such works-projects now when help is scarce and materials are high priced. These can be safely kept "on the shelf" for a rainy day.

Alberta Provincial House Heeds Liberal Protest

The Alberta legislature was forced to pause in its deliberations on the last day of the session to give heed to warnings and protests voiced by Alberta's Liberal leader Harper Prowse.

On one of these occasions the house was entering committee of the whole for a clause-by-clause study of two bulky pieces of legislation.

Printed copies of the two tremendous bills were distributed to the members during the last few hours, and Mr. Prowse pointed out such delay was inexcusable.

One of them set up new rules and regulations for Alberta's vitally important oil and mining industries. It was titled the "Mines and Minerals Act" and was framed as the division of the Department of Lands and Mines into two branches.

This particular bill will be the chart to guide the Department of Mines and Minerals.

A similar function will be performed by the bulky Lands and Forests Act.

But in this case of course the new law will govern the future activities of the Lands and Forests Department.

Mr. Prowse's objection was based on the fact the government had known since the close of the 1948 session that division of the department was coming and was coming this year.

There was no reason, Mr. Prowse said, that the bills could not have been prepared last July.

As is usual with protests against government action in the Alberta house, Mr. Prowse's suggestion was declared out of order, which formed a convenient cloak for the government front benches to hide behind and thus avoid answers.

As a result the government didn't answer Mr. Prowse's protest.

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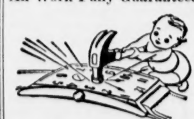
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News From Scotland

MONUMENTAL WORK ON PLANNING

When you buy an expensive book, you have a right to expect something for your money. In Sir Frank Mears' town and country planning report, entitled "Regional Plan for Central and Southeast Scotland," the student of this social science will certainly find a

gold mine. Laden with fact and detail, the report is a fine example of collaboration between the author and editor, Sir Frank Mears, and the printers and map-makers.

In addition to innumerable tables scattered throughout the text, there are line diagrams, aerial photographs, and 54 separate plates, most of which open out from the book to the width of three foolscap pages, and are in several colors.

The area with which Sir Frank has had to deal extends from the borders of Scotland with England in the southeast to the heavily populated districts of the mid-Scotland-industrial belt. "If the plan is to be effective," said Sir Frank at a press conference, when he presented his report, "there must be co-operation between the 17 county and burgh planning authorities concerned."

No aspect of life has been missed by the inquiring mind of Sir Frank, from Lallans (the old Lowland broad Scots tongue), to the ill-balance of population between country and town; from new towns to the valuable farmland which lies under the Scottish peat bogs; and from the much-talked-of road bridge over the Firth of Forth near Edinburgh to coalfields of the future.

The biggest worry, he declared, was the problem of getting people to return to the land, and he deplored the "semi-deserted countryside top-heavy with people over 30 years of age."

"I knew the situation was serious, but when I saw it on a map I was horrified. Depopulation is like a blight spreading across the country, with almost every parish losing up to half of its people, apart from the cities, two or three holiday resorts and the coalfield."

A century ago, with a steadily increasing population, the country could afford to export a lot of her sons, but when the birth rate fell, migration continued. Here the author sounds his most serious warning:

"However active may be export trade for a time, permanent prosperity—indeed national survival—must be endangered if purely industrial communities attempt to carry on in a depopulated land. The fountain-head is becoming empty and we see today the bare survival of the most valuable stock of all, the country folk proper, with their deep-rooted knowledge and love of the countryside."

The best guarantee of success in any planning which may be done is a better understanding between countryman and townsman, and the importance of this may be realized when it is stated that practically all the land can be used for agriculture, stock raising, or afforestation, each of them pursuits of the countryside. The drift from the land should be countered by positive measures for rural reconstruction taken concurrently

with those for the towns.

On the movement of population from the west of the industrial area (where some of the Lanarkshire coalpits are becoming uneconomical) to the richer coal areas in the Lothians, Fife, and Ayrshire, Sir Frank says that the Forth basin could receive as a maximum about 200,000 people, spread over 30 years but that there might be 400,000 people drawn eventually to the eastern coalfields. Should that happen, the suggestion is made that another move towards the north, to the counties of Moray and Banff would be necessary.

This important report, if its suggestions are followed, may affect the lives of over one million of Scotland's population.

PRESENTS FROM SCOTLAND

Scotland is attracting an ever-growing number of holiday-makers from overseas. Europe, and south of the border. The Edinburgh Festival has proved a strong magnet, but it is not only music and drama in a picturesque and historic setting that has brought the annual flock of visitors. Mountain, moor and loch provide beauty,

sport and holiday relaxation, and thanks in no small measure to the activities of the Scottish Tourist Board, the world and his wife are becoming more and more aware that Scotland need take second to none as a holiday playground.

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Diana Lynn, who is currently co-starring with Marie Wilson, John Lund, Don DeFore and Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis in "My Friend Irma" at Paramount for Hal Wallis, is spending her spare time working on piano arrangements of eight Cole Porter songs which she will record for Capitol on her first day off from her screen activities.

Paul Henreid's wife, Lisle, is considering a return to her career as dress designer. This the actor revealed at Paramount, where he is filming "Rope of Sand." "Lise was one of Europe's top designers and was far better known in America than I when we first landed here," Paul says.

Miss Ethel Berry, of Edmonton, spent a short holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Berry.

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Mr. Emolie, superintendent, was kind enough to spend a few minutes of his valuable time with us, and has kindly consented to give us more news from time to time.

The General Petroleum Company of Calgary and Leduc pulled in here on April 14, and under the supervision and management of Mr. Emolie within one week the large derrick was erected and at 4 p.m. on April 21 they spudded in. This was just one week from the day of arrival.

This is a very interesting sight, and certainly a sight that no one should miss seeing. Just in passing we would like to mention that the crew on this well are ones that blocked the wild well at Lac la Biche just a few weeks ago.

So readers, don't forget to watch your local paper for more news of the Stanolin Plamondon No. 1 and with the kindness of the superintendent we will give you more news from time to time.

Weather

LAC LA BICHE.—The following is the daily maximum and minimum temperatures for the week ending April 25, 1949, at 05:30 p.m.

	Max.	Min.
April 19	64	29
" 20	46	40
" 21	40	37
" 22	47	33
" 23	51	29
" 24	50	28
" 25	57	28

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Lac la Biche Old-Timer Passes Away

LAC LA BICHE.—On Wednesday, April 20, Delphis Cadieux passed away in St. Catherine's hospital at Lac la Biche.

Services were held Saturday, April 23. A high mass was held in St. Catherine's Church. Rev. Father McGrath officiated, assisted by Rev. Father Menard and Rev. Father Couture of the Lac la Biche Mission.

The pallbearers were Mr. Louis Richard, Willie Plamondon, Medard Richard, Alex Bourassa, John Bouvier and Willie Duhamel.

Interment was in Lac la Biche Mission Cemetery where his wife, who predeceased him by 30 years, was also laid to rest.

Delphis Cadieux was born at St. Eugene, Ont., on March 25, 1876. He came to the Colinton district in 1910 and then moved to Lac la Biche in 1914, where he has resided ever since. He was one of the first residents of Lac la Biche.

He is survived by four sons and five daughters: Edward, Emile, Omer, Albert; Mrs. M. Perron and Mrs. M. Stefausk of Lac la Biche, Mrs. J. Choquette of Falher Alta, Mrs. R. Jussore of Rolla, North Dakota, and Mrs. C. Henriksen of Perth, North Dakota.

Beautiful floral tributes were received from: Jos. and Lillian and girls; Edward, Maude and family; Emile, Marie and family; Marie Anne, Mike and family; Virginia and Mike; Evelyn and Bob of Smithers, B.C.; Bertha, Carl and family; Dora, Richard and family of North Dakota; Mike and Eunice Hamar; Mrs. Lacroix and Ted; the Courtney family; the staff of Mike's Cafe.

Oil Crew Leaves For Lac la Biche

BOYLE.—The biggest per cent

of the oil crew that was working in Boyle have pulled up stakes and left to work in Lac la Biche for a period from two to three weeks.

After digging approximately 4,250 feet down it is believed that their work here is finished. The oil workers may be leaving this part of the country and yet may not. Only the bosses know.

Wedding

LAMARRE-FREGAIN

LAC LA BICHE.—On Friday, April 22 at 2:00 p.m., a quiet wedding was solemnized by Rev. Fr. Menard at St. Catherine's Rectory.

The bride, Jean Fregain, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Fregain of Grandin was given in marriage by her grandfather, Mr. R. Calvert of Lac la Biche, to Mr. Felede Lamarre, also of Grandin, who was escorted by his uncle, Ernest Blais.

The bride was attired in the traditional white floor-length gown with a floor-length veil. She carried a bouquet of white carnations. The bridesmaid Cecile Lamarre sister of the groom wore a floor-length gown of rose crepe with chapel veil.

Donald Fregain, brother of the bride, was best man.

After the wedding ceremony a reception was held at the Bright Spot Cafe where a beautiful decorated three-tiered wedding cake occupied the centre of the table.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Shaw, Mrs. O. Lamarre, Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lamarre, Mr. and Mrs. F. Roberts and Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blais and Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Steeples.

The wedding dance at the Memorial hall in the evening was well attended.

LOCAL NEWS OF BOYLE

BOYLE.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall returned from Edmonton where they spent an enjoyable week's vacation.

The Boyle A.Y.P.A. (Anglican Young People's Association) purchased a pulpit for their church recently.

Mr. Arnold Steiner from Brudersheim spent the week of Easter with the Westleys at Boyle.

Mr. Ivor Norline, his wife and family, have returned to live in Boyle, after spending the winter testing the British Columbia climate.

Now that spring is here to stay so are sports and athletic minded people busy. Warren school is no exception either. On May 20 the local track meet takes place in Boyle. The Central track meet will be held on May 28 at Rochester.

Mrs. Stan Harmata will no longer be a business woman at the end of April. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Harmata, is taking over the cafe. Light lunches will be the extent of the menu then.

Ronald Deeprose, Grade 11, won the school sweater awarded by the Western Knitting Mills of Calgary for highest standing in grades, 9, 10, 11 and 12 at Easter. Ronald also won the Governor-General's medal in the year 1946-47.

Miss Joan Carrdingley spent the Easter vacation with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wilkins of Westlock.

Mrs. Alice Hutzler recently purchased a new 1949 Dodge coupe.

Mrs. Daniel Beaudry who was taken to Lac la Biche hospital last Wednesday, is expected home soon. The Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church is sponsoring an outdoor carnival and dance on June 13. Miss Anne Paleschuk, Miss Anne Humney and Miss Jean Nykilpio are candidates for queen.

VENICE NEWS

VENICE.—Mrs. David Uganecz had the misfortune to lose her purse on the train, coming back from Edmonton, with \$54.00 in it. On prompt action in phoning to the N.A.R. agent of Lac la Biche, a search was made and she received the good news that her purse had been found with all its contents. Many thanks to the agent and conductor for their good work.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Biello are the proud parents of an 8½ lb. baby girl.

Mrs. M. N. Keehn and Baby Lindale Mr. Tony Bonifacio, Miss Lydia Michetti and Mr. George Cox of Edmonton were visiting friends and relatives during Easter holidays.

Wedding Bells

BOUVIER—JOHNSON

PLAMONDON.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized in St. Isador's Parish Church, Plamondon, on Monday, April 18, when Anita

Bouvier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armond Bouvier, became the bride of Jerome Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson of Plamondon. Rev. Father S. Lorange officiated at the wedding.

The bride looked very lovely in a floor length white satin gown and full length veil held in place by a heart shaped coronet and carried a bouquet of roses. She was given away by her father.

Her bridesmaid, Miss Theresa Bouvier, of Egg Lake, Alta., a cousin, was dressed in blue with a shoulder veil. The best man was Damase, brother of the bride.

A wedding breakfast and dinner was served to about 50 guests at the home of the bride's parents. A wedding dance was given in the Plamondon Community hall in the evening and was crowded to capacity.

The bride and groom left by car for their wedding trip and on their return will take up residence in the district.

KIKINO NEWS

KIKINO.—The young people around here have started to play softball on Sundays now as there is nothing else to do on Sundays or in the evenings around here.

The Easter dance was quite a success. A big crowd turned out and everyone enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Laderoute and son of St. Paul came up to spend Easter holidays with their parents and friends.

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KILLAM LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. Harold Homan returned to Edmonton while Mrs. Homan and kiddies stayed to visit for a week.

Mrs. Cameron and son Duncan,

of Edmonton, are visitors at the Charlie Bennett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schaffler were recent visitors with relatives in Provost. Dian and her little sister stayed to visit with Granny and Grand-dad.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Merta were

Edmonton visitors on Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Merta attended some of the convention exercises.

Mrs. A. E. Cox and daughters are visiting with relatives in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Holman and family, of Loughheed, spent Easter

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Vagt.

Mrs. Harry Erickson and children visited in Edmonton with Mrs. Albert Harsine and family.

Roy Erickson came down from Edmonton to visit with Mrs. Erickson and his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Erickson.

Mrs. Al Tennant, of Edmonton, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Gadd. Mrs. Gadd intends to return to the city with her sister where she will visit before going on a trip East.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davies and Dr. and Mrs. Donald Davies returned from a trip to Banff and Lake Louise.

Camrose visitors on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Windover, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Windover, Mrs. R. Love and girls, Mrs. Mabel Bennett and Bob Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Drell Smith and family left on Thursday for their home in Vernon, B.C.

Ken McPherson and Barbara McKinney visited in Strome on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Faulkner and little son, of Myrman, were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Edwards.

Miss Marie George, of Edmonton, visited at her home here recently.

Boba Service Station now has a first class mechanic and renders complete mechanical service.

HARDISTY HAPPENINGS

HARDISTY.—Miss I. Erickson spent Sunday at Hardisty.

Mr. Buster Bennetfield and Mr. Irving Bell spent Sunday at Amlak.

Miss D. Hendricks and Miss Y. Morrison spent Thursday at the B. G. Kobitzsch home.

Mr. Claud A. May spent his Easter holidays at Aetna Alta.

Mrs. A. Terry spent a week in Regina, Sask.

Miss Faye Cameron spent a few days in Edmonton last week.

Mrs. Elsie Wells spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Drager.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Quinlan spent the week-end in Hardisty at the E. Quinlan home.

Miss Darlene Bennetfield spent a week in Daysland.

Mr. F. Page spent the holidays at his home in Chipman, Alta.

Mrs. H. Rombough is in St. Anne's hospital.

Miss Shirley Quast has returned to school after her accident.

Mr. Barry Thorp celebrated his 19th birthday on Sunday, April 24. You'll soon be an old man, Barry!

Mr. George Choepo and Ellen Mortens spent the week-end at the former's home in Hardisty.

Mr. Harold Hendricks and girl friend stopped at Hardisty on their way to Calgary from Consort. Mrs. D. Hendricks journeyed back to Calgary with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitelock are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Miss Eunice Johnson left for Provost on Sunday night.

Mr. Rusty Bennetfield spent a few days at home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Burger are the new operators of the Coffee Shop.

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OBITUARY

MISS RACHAEL HORROCKS

Funeral services for Miss Rachael Horrocks, of Easyford, Alberta, who passed away in the city on April 10th, were held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Howard and McBride's Chapel. Rev. J. Williams officiated and interment took place in the Beechmount Cemetery.

Miss Horrocks was born in Bolton, Lancashire, England, on December 8th, 1874. She came to Canada in 1913 and settled in Calgary until 1927, when she settled at Strome, Alberta, to live with her sister, Mrs. C. Devey, who had bad health. She left Strome for Easyford, Alberta, in 1937, where she lived until her last sickness.

She leaves to mourn her loss, four sisters, Mrs. W. Clarke in England, Mrs. J. T. Isherwood in Prince George, B.C., Mrs. T. Riley, of Strome, Alberta, and Mrs. C. Devey, of Easyford, Alberta.

WEDDINGS

SHILLAM—GAIR

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Gair, of Strome, recently, when their daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, was united in marriage to Mr. Ralph Hilary Shillam, son of Mr. F. E. Shillam, of Vancouver. Rev. H. A. Whaley officiated.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a two-piece silk crepe dress of cameo blue with blue and white accessories. A corsage of pink roses was pinned at her shoulder. She wore a cameo pendant with matching ear-rings, a gift of the groom.

Leona Gair attended her sister as bridesmaid, wearing a navy afternoon dress of crepe and taffeta. Her accessories were navy and white and she wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Mr. Douglas Dawson, of Calgary, was best man.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Gair wore a gold crepe afternoon dress with brown accessories and a corsage of pink roses centered with a white gardenia.

After the ceremony a reception was held for close friends and relatives of the bride and groom at which Rev. Whaley proposed the bridal toast.

A three-tiered wedding cake centred the table which was decorated with pink carnations.

For going away the bride wore a burgundy gaberdine suit with grey topcoat and accessories to match.

Those attending from a distance were Mrs. Blanche Thew (sister of the groom) and her daughter, Margaret, of Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Gair, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gair and Mr. J. Hauser, of Wetaskiwin.

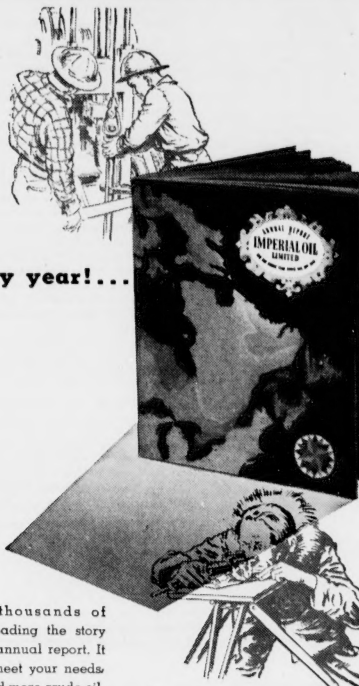
The couple will reside in Calgary.

More Preparations Festival of Britain

The London Transport is making special plans to ensure the comfort of thousands of visitors who will be coming to see the Festival of Britain's main exhibition in London. They are preparing for extra heavy passenger traffic at stations adjoining its site in Westminster.

Work has started on the construction of three special new escalators. These will take those who travel by the Underground railway direct from the train to the exhibition grounds. The largest will be 114 feet long and will carry these separate stairways. The cost is estimated at about \$1,800,000.

A new booking hall is also being built with an entrance direct from the exhibition.



It's been a busy year!...

This week many thousands of Canadians will be reading the story told in Imperial Oil's annual report. It is a story of how, to meet your needs, Imperial last year found more crude oil, produced more crude, transported, refined, distributed and marketed more oil and products than ever before.

To do this we had to spend a lot of money. We sent men ranging over thousands of square miles in the search for new oil fields—and we found new oil. We built new ships... new pipe lines... new refining units... new marketing facilities... and a host of other things. Again last year we spent more money than we earned, but it was an investment in Canada's future as well as our own.

We raised most of the money we needed by borrowing and by selling some of our major investments; the rest was earnings put back into the business after paying dividends.

On the year's business we made a profit of less than a cent a gallon on products sold. This amounted to 4 and 9/10ths cents out of each sales dollar we received.

It was a busy, successful, interesting year. When it began we were sometimes hard pressed to meet all your needs; when it ended supplies were assured. It saw new oil discovered, making Canada less dependent on foreign supplies; new equipment added, helping to serve Canadians better with the products they need.

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If you're interested in facts...

1948 set new records in all phases of Imperial Oil's operations.

If the wells drilled by the company to find and produce oil in Canada during 1948 were placed end to end they would total 163 miles.

Five large tankers were added to the company's fleets; the Leduc pipe line was extended to Edmonton, and plans progressed for a pipe line from Edmonton to Regina; 4,711 tank cars moved more than 150,000 car loads of crude oil and products.

Imperial's eight refineries processed an average of 135,027 barrels per day, a new record.

Sales totalled 1,819,000,000 gallons. On its operations the company earned \$16,873,163—a profit of 93/100 of a cent per gallon for each of the 1,819,000,000 gallons sold. From its investments the company earned \$5,958,907.

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THIS WEEK IN BRITAIN

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First volunteer in the scheme was Albert Brinkman, builder's laborer, who finished a hard morning's work, had lunch, then relaxed for the afternoon in an easy chair in an experimental modern living room. Albert was helping the scientists to discover how much warmth an outdoor working man needs when he relaxes at home, how much ventilation, how high a ceiling should be for health and comfort. Another laborer sat with him and in a similar room next door—where the ceiling was six inches lower—another outdoor worker and an office employee sat together in the same temperature, reading and talking.

With both parties sat scientists from the London University School of Hygiene, members of a team working with the Ministry of Works to plan for comfort in new brick-built homes.

Instruments in both rooms recorded temperatures and heat radiation, measured the amount of moisture in the air. Every half-hour the relaxing volunteers, behaving just as though they were at home, after a day's work, recorded their sensations on special forms.

Under one heading they noted how they were sitting or standing and what they were doing. In another column they recorded sensations of heat or moisture, and in a third wrote down their remarks—cold or warm hands, cold feet or

backs, complaints of draughts or lack of air.

Before they had settled down, each worker gave on his record sheet, his age and occupation, time and nature of his last meal, height, weight and clothing. While they sat there instruments outside the windows recorded temperatures and wind speeds and direction.

BRITAIN PREPARES UNIQUE DICTIONARY

A unique dictionary is being prepared in Britain—the Dictionary of Colors for Interior Decoration, first of its kinds to be published.

Sponsors are the British Color Council, an independent organization financed by subscriptions from its members and fees paid by industry for special services. The council works in close co-operation with the Council of Industrial Design, the Royal Society of Arts, the British Council and government departments.

The dictionary will contain standard specimens of 378 different colors. These are illustrated on both plain and matt surfaces, as well as on pile fabric. Each has its own individual reference number.

Seven years' intensive research work and consultation lie behind this work of reference. It will be invaluable not only to dyers and manufacturers of paints, fabrics and pottery, but also to home-makers. It will cut out confusion and debate over the names of various shades of any one color. Also by use of the standard reference numbers, it will be possible to ensure perfect matching of shades either in interior decoration scheme or in dress fabrics.

It will also help manufacturers in economizing, because they will be able to work to standard color charts and within a definitely defined range of shades.

The scheme is supported by

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PRETTY GIRLS MAKE GOOD TAX COLLECTORS

Apparently, it softens the blow when you pay your income tax if a pretty girl is there to collect it! Anyway, that is what the people of Britain say, for their pretty girls are among the most efficient and successful collectors of income tax.

They have that sympathetic understanding which makes men more willing to discuss tax problems and more co-operative in finding solutions. In rural districts, especially, it has been found that farmers have admitted they do not understand tax conditions and have found a woman tax collector easier to understand.

But before any can be sent out as fully-fledged collectors, they have to become experts in all matters dealing with income tax. They go to a training centre, and while they are there, learn the business from five instructors. For a month trainees hear nothing but income tax—all the problems with which these experienced instructors have had to deal are placed before the students, with the solutions.

No distinction is made between the training of men and women. The centre was opened in 1945 to give refresher courses to men and women returning from the forces. By 1948 most ex-service people had passed through, but still the country's tax collecting force was understaffed. Clerical assistants were promoted and they, too, were sent to the school for special courses.

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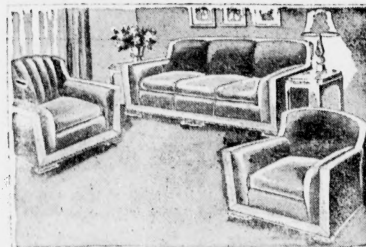
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The Nation's Business

In what External Affairs Minister L. B. Pearson described as "an inspiring example of parliamentary unity and a reflection of national unity on a fundamental question of international policy" the House of Commons approved Canada's participation in the North Atlantic Security Pact.

Canadian representatives are to sign the pact at Washington next week. Parliament's action means that the nation is behind them. The pact itself means that the democracies of Western Europe with Canada and the United States are going to combine for mutual defence. If Russia or any other country attacks any one of them all will fight together.

It is the kind of collective security the allied nations tried to work out on a world-wide basis through the United Nations. That effort failed because Soviet Russia blocked agreement on the completion of the security structure, embarked on a course of aggression and expansion in Eastern Europe.

The idea of this North Atlantic pact is to a large extent Canadian. Its crystallization into reality at this time is a demonstration of the kind of leadership the Canadian government has been able to give in world affairs. Its all but unanimous acceptance by parliament is a demonstration of the way public opinion in a democracy responds to the kind of leadership afforded by Prime Minister St. Laurent who takes parliament and the public into his confidence.

Back in October, 1946, Mr. St. Laurent, then minister of external affairs, spoke at the assembly of the United Nations, urged speed in setting up the military agreements called for in the United Nations charter. Nothing happened, largely because of the obstruction of Russia and its satellites. The next year Mr. St. Laurent again spoke, said that the democratic nations which wanted peace would not indefinitely be content with things as they were, would be obliged to combine among themselves for mutual defence.

From those ideas developed the Atlantic Pact and in putting its approval on it the House of Commons also endorsed a good job of work for world peace by the prime minister.

TELEVISION

Canadians are going to have television and Canadian television programs. This week government plans were announced which will insure that this new medium of communication, entertainment and culture develops under the general direction of the National Broadcasting Corporation.

The government gave CBC the green light to go ahead with a loan of \$4000,000, with the establishment of program production centres and with the granting of licenses to privately-owned stations.

A lot more will be heard about television before it finally becomes available in all parts of Canada. The setting up of stations and transmitting facilities is a big and costly job. A special parliamentary committee on radio will be looking at the question in a week or two and it also forms one of the terms of reference to the Royal Commission which the government is going to establish on governmental activities which contribute to the enrichment of our national life.

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U.S. Wheat Estimate

The prospective United States spring wheat acreage is reported at 20.3 million acres, which with average yields would produce about 291 million bushels compared with 298.3 million in 1948. The winter wheat acreage has previously been reported at 61.37 million acres with an expected crop of 964.8 million bushels from average yields.

Thus the estimated total 1949 wheat acreage would reach 81.7 million, compared with 77.9 million a year ago, and 66 million for the 10-year average. The total yield would be 1,256 million bushels, compared with 1,288 million in 1948 and 943 million for the 10-year average.

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